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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are an Amendment and Response responsive to the Office Action mailed November 14, 2003, a check for the requisite fee for a two month extension of time (\$210), and a return postcard for filing in connection with the above captioned application. If a Petition for extension of time is required, this paper is to be considered such Petition.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 in connection with this paper or with this application during its entire pendency to Deposit Account No. 06-1050. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted, Fish & Richardson P.C.

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